

St Mary's Weekly Bulletin 5th October 2014

A very warm welcome to everyone!

If you are a visitor or newcomer please introduce yourself to the clergy or a member of the congregation. Please join us for refreshments after the service.



An **induction loop system** is provided to assist hearing aid users. Please switch your hearing aid to the 'T' position.

Anyone wishing to receive Holy Communion at home, a visit or wishing to arrange a funeral please contact **David** directly.

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Norma Howie is the benefice administrator, and enquiries re baptisms and weddings should be made through her. The office is open Monday and Wednesday 8.00am - 3.30pm, Thursday 12.30pm - 3.00pm and Friday 12 noon - 3.00pm.

Services Today

8.00am	Said Eucharist
10.00am	All Age Worship
Leading	Canon David Lawson
Hymns	See leaflet
Sides Duty	Paul and Joy West
Warden	Laura Graham-Brown
Reader	Melanie Henley
Intercessions	Viv Hagel
Offertory	Veronica and Roz Cheshire
Organist	Chris Muhley
Coffee	Ann Wiggins and Daphne Wicks
6.30pm	Evening Prayer (said)

Please pray for Nancy Abraham, Graeme Baker, Paul Boggis, Fr Don Butler, Doreen and Hedley Crago, Riskala Dekki, Shirley Godson, Eileen Kemp, Tony and Irene Mayes, Vera Pocock, Ivor Stringer, Clare Tofield-Wallington, Molly Witts and Richard Wyatt.

Deanery prayers this month are for the Church of the Resurrection, Grovehill, and their Catholic friends who share the church building.

Please also pray for Alan, Bishop of St Albans; Richard, Bishop of Bedford; the Church in Wales, and the Archbishop, Barry Morgan; the parish of Keysoe, Sharnbrook; the monthly home group; Belmont Road Baptist Church; thanksgiving for the harvest; all who work on the land and sea; the Bishop of St Albans Harvest Appeal and teaching literacy skills to women in Egypt; Apsley Beaver Scouts; the political situation in Hong Kong; RAF personnel involved in the military strikes in Iraq; those who died in the Japanese volcano; all involved in seeking to contain the Ebola outbreak in West Africa.

HARVEST THANKSGIVING

THIS WEEK

Monday 6th	
	No Morning Prayer
9.00am	Staff meeting at Holy Trinity Vicarage
10.00am	Working Party
8.00pm	Bellringing practice
Tuesday 7th	
9.00am	Morning Prayer
10.00am	Buzzy Bees meet in Refectory
Wednesday 8th No Morning Prayer	
10.00am	Said Eucharist at Holy Trinity
7.45pm	First meeting of PILGRIM course in Refectory - all welcome!
Thursday 9th	
9.00am	Morning Prayer
9.30am	Eucharist and study group
8.00pm	Thursday home group meets at 28 Manorville Road
Friday 10th	
9.00am	Morning Prayer
10.00am	Working Party
Saturday 11th	
9.00am	Morning Prayer
10.00am	Saturday Cafe in Refectory
Sunday 12th TRINITY 17	
	No 8.00am Said Eucharist
10.00am	Sung Eucharist/Youth Groups
6.30pm	Evening Prayer (said)

If you place a cash collection in the offertory plate and are a UK tax payer, please use the blue envelope in the pews adding details of your name, address and post code. These details are essential for the church to claim Gift Aid on your

United benefice service Sunday 19th October 10.30am at Holy Trinity. 10.00am service at St

NOTICES

Thank you to all those who helped decorate the church yesterday for the service today. **Welcome to Apsley Beaver Scouts** who are joining us for the 10.00am service today. After the service **harvest produce will be sold** in aid of the Bishop of St Albans Harvest Appeal.

On Wednesday of this week the **PILGRIM** meetings begin, exploring the Christian faith. This is not a study course with reading lists and homework! It is an opportunity in an informal way to learn more about the Christian faith and way of life. Chris Bentley and David will be leading the meetings. The first one starts at 7.45pm in the Refectory and will end not later than 9.30pm. Sign the list at the back of church to give an idea of likely numbers.

The next SOLO lunch in the refectory is on Thursday 16th October at 12.45pm. Sign the list if you would like to come.

The next Taize service is at All Saints on Sunday 26th October at 6.30pm. The next Taize service at St Mary's will be on Sunday 4th January at 6.30pm.

The next Baptism Preparation meetings are on Monday 27th October and Monday 3rd November both at All Saints at 7.30pm.

The annual service to remember departed family members and friends is on Sunday 9th November at 6.30pm.